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INTEREST SHIFT- ED TO WOMAN

All Eyes Turned to Mrs. Rivers in Noted Mur- der Case

With John Tremont, one of three defendants charged with the murder of Sherman Woodward, freed by the verdict of a jury, and with Mrs. Ada Woodward, under life sentence by her own confession of guilt, all eyes now turn to Mrs. Emma Rivers, the third defendant in the case.

Will her case ever come to trial in the face of Tremont's acquittal, or will the prosecution of her case be stopped? That is the only question remaining, and which, by the way is of much interest. The answer is not at this time to be had. Largely it rests with Oscar Simpson, county attorney. It is in his power to proceed with her case, or to file a motion for its dismissal.

When seen this morning he stated that he did not know yet what action would be taken. "I have not yet made up my mind as to whether I will proceed with the case or not," he said.

When the verdict of not guilty was handed in by the jury at Lawton, John Tremont shook hands with the jurors and walked out of the court room, a free man. He

and his brother Frank Tremont, left on the first train out of Lawton for Waco, Texas.

One who talked to Tremont in the hotel in Lawton while the jury was out, told of the following conversation: "Are you going to wait here till the jury brings in a verdict, Frank?"

"Yes, I wait and take John home with me."

"Maybe he won't go."

"I take him or his dead body."

"I mean maybe the jury will not turn him loose."

"Oh, well, then I won't take him. If he is loose, I sure take him or kill him."—Chickasha Express.

C. H. MCQUAID FOR SHERIFF

Mr. C. H. McQuaid, a leading democrat from Eakley, was in town Wednesday. We are reliably informed that Mr. McQuaid will be a candidate for Sheriff at the August primaries.

Mr. McQuaid is in the gin business at Eakley and has been there for the past two years. Prior to coming to Eakley, he lived on the line between Caddo and Washita counties and we understand if he should receive the nomination he will have the support of a great many republicans in the north and of the county, at the election.

Good Wm. Knaba Piano for sale or trade. W. P. Hudson.

ROAD CAM- PAIGN ON

Now For 100 Men Back Of The Road Work

Yes we have just started this campaign. We are right now in the beginning of the Road Year. Actually going to build clay covered roads. What a big idea when you think of the sand, every good citizen must come into this campaign. We want 100 men to pay for one man per month on the roads right around Anadarko. Merchants, doctors, lawyers teachers, teamsters, clerks, hotel keepers, citizens, what-not are wanted in this road year. Are you on, or are you too small for the job? That is the game—a big, broad, man's game, shouldering the common enemy and forcing him down. The list has been started. Phone in to 65 or see Morris Leonhard, Robt. L. Boake or W. H. Castle. Ask for a card. If you are a patriot and want to get 5 cards signed up, call for them at the secretary's office at the business college.

HERE IS THE ROAD PLEDGE

The road committee of the Anadarko Commercial Club is authorized to send one man per day at \$1.50 for the next six months to work on the roads immediately adjacent to Anadarko, and to send him to us for his \$150. Signed: Duncan & Leonhard Ogle Bros Fair Store Youngheim Bros Pfaff & Sons Commercial College First National Bank First State Bank Anadarko National Bank. A. B. C. Store Dr. P. H. Anderson G. M. Fuller Baldwin & Gibbs Tribune Fremont Boyle Archie VanOrden C. A. Cleveland Paul Kaiser Jess Overstreet Dallas Penacock J. E. Farrington Judge Arends Theo. Osike

Firms desiring to send a man or individuals desiring to work themselves are requested to do so, instead of paying the \$1.50 but in case firms sign to go, and fail to do so, the committee will employ a man and send him the firm for his pay.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson returned to her home in Binger, Friday after a visit with Mrs. Geo. Drake. Call A B C. Phone 123, for fresh oysters.

Upholds "Jim Crow"

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—The "Jim Crow" law of Oklahoma was upheld today by the federal circuit court of appeals in affirming a decision from the district court of Kansas City, which refused to award Dr. William J. Tompkins \$50,000 damages because of an attempt to enforce the "Jim Crow" law against him.

Tompkins, a negro, bought a ticket from Kansas City to McAlester over the Katy. When the train reached the Oklahoma line, Tompkins was informed that he must leave the "white" car and enter the negro coach. He refused and was ordered off the train.

GUN SHOOT AT FT. COBB

The Anadarko Gun Club went to Ft. Cobb Thursday for a matched shoot.

Each club shot 50 targets. In the first half, Ft. Cobb was in the lead by 13, but in the last half Anadarko gained 23 shots, giving them a majority of 10.

The following men went from here: Messrs Chandler, Pattie, Cunningham, Snodgrass, Coffee, Pell, Gish and Stelzner.

The Ft. Cobb Gun Club are expected here next Thursday for a match.

SENSE AND NONSENSE

Fashion authorities are still trying to locate the waist line in women. They had better place a husky young man on the job—he and the girl will do the locating without delay or trouble.

Statistics prove that Americans are the greatest consumers of sugar in the world.—We have known it all along—our girls are the sweetest ever Saccharine's not in it with them.

The woman who goes through her husbands pockets regularly is bound to find something some time that will cause her to wish she hadn't.

Woman's love for dry goods and Man's love for wet goods cause about nine-tenths of the domestic discord in this world.

During the year just past more than five hundred million dollars were spent by the American people for candies and sweetmeats—enough to build a hundred battle-ships or erect half a million fine homes.

Dr Wiley says that "woman sprang from a monitionous bioplasm." We have seen her spring from a mouse and a snake.

With the acquittal of Tremont Ada may now regret that she "fessed up." But the old proverb: woman, woman tell all you know and more too is evident in this case.

Another Fire

There was another small fire Friday morning at the home of E. Fowler, 310 Kansas Ave. It caught from the flue and very little damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Acton of Concordia, Kansas who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Acton, left Friday for Verden, to visit relatives there before returning home.

Mrs. M. L. Andrews went to Ft. Cobb Friday to visit her sister who is ill.

MRS. REUTER IN SWOON

Shrieks And Falls Uncon- scious as Plea is Made For Life

Bartlesville, Okla., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Laura M. Reuter, on trial for life, uttered a shriek and fell unconscious in the courtroom late Thursday afternoon, but the thundering notes of oratory from the lips of Attorney John R. Charlton in his closing argument for the defense prevented the crowded courtroom from hearing the sounds of the accused woman's voice. A doctor and two nurses administered restoratives. Mrs. Reuter, still unconscious when court adjourned, was carried to her hotel. She regained consciousness early Thursday night. When Judge Allen discovered the condition of the woman at the close of court he ordered the crowd to pass out quietly.

Many women who had been brought to tears by the masterful address of the preacher-lawyer, attempted to force a passageway to the cot where the woman in an unconscious condition, but were forced to leave by bailiffs and deputy sheriffs. Prosecutor Malloy will make the final argument tomorrow morning and the case will go to the jury Friday afternoon. An early verdict is expected. Just before the noon recess Thursday Jacob Nixon, a juror from Vera, was seized with an attack of indigestion and it was thought the trial would be delayed for a day or two. He recovered, so the trial proceeded after the noon recess.

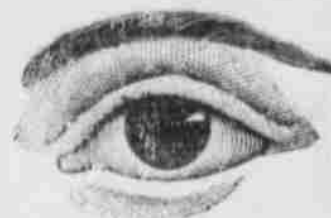
The day was occupied in hearing arguments of Attorney A. D. Biddinson and John R. Carlton, of counsel for the defense. Biddinson devoted his time almost entirely to analyzing the testimony attacking in particular the testimony state's three star witnesses, "Bud" Bellew, his sister Dora and Ben Burgess.

Attorney Charlton, the preacher-lawyer, touched upon all of the facts and circumstances in connection with the homicide, and his eloquence and oratory brought tears from the eyes of men and women in the courtroom as he pleaded for freedom for the "little woman," as he referred to the defendant.

A night session was to have been held, but when Judge Allen learned the condition of the woman he ordered a recess until 9 o'clock Friday morning.

See A. M. VanOrden for concrete sidewalks, culverts and bridges. All work guaranteed. 223 W Broadway.

Wanted—To buy shoats, weighing from 50 to 60 pounds. Inquire of Mrs. W. E. White at the White Hotel.



WHAT'S THE USE to spend your money for car fare and hotel bills just to have your EYES FITTED with glasses in some other town. Do you know that we can examine your eyes and fit them with glasses just as good and accurate as anyone in the State? Listen—We guarantee to do it. Come and see.

Brewer's Jewelry & Optical Store
Opposite Postoffice

NOTICE

Republicans of the second ward will meet at the City Hall at 8 p. m., for the purpose of selecting three delegates to attend the County Convention to be held Saturday Feb. 7th, also to elect a Ward Committeeman for the Second Ward. This meeting will be Sat. an. 31.

Rolin Grammer,
Committeeman.

Mr. W. L. Mank one of the leading hardware merchants of Eakley was in town Wednesday.

C. T. Kellar went to Binger, Friday on business.

Mrs. M. J. Ogle went to Lawton, Friday, to visit her son Herbert Ogle and family.

For Rent

A farm to rent, 8 miles north-west of Apache. 240 acres, 160 in cultivation, 80 acres in grass. Good house and barn and good water. Other improvements. Inquire of C. J. Scheetz, Anadarko, Okla.

Wanted—Girl at once, housework. Good pay to right one. Call phone 157, Dr. O. E. Black.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

McKinley Post No. 97 G. A. R. and Ladies Circle will with patriotic speech and music observe Lincoln's birthday Thursday Feb. 12th at the Methodist church, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

The city schools are asked to dismiss for the afternoon. The business houses are asked to close from 1:30 to 4 p. m.

Everybody invited. Methodist church, Thursday Feb. 12th at 1:30 p. m.

By Order of Post and Circle.
George W. Campbell,
Chairman Ex. Com.

T. E. Rawland, President C. C. Nathan, Secretary
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Condensed Statement of Its Condition at the
Close of Business, January, 13th 1914.

Resources

Loans and Discounts	\$167,092.68
U. S. Bonds	25,000.00
Real Estate Furniture and Fixtures	12,500.00
Other Real Estate	11,859.62
Bonds & Warrants	41,529.96
Cash and Sight Exchange	87,012.22
Total	\$344,994.48

Liabilities

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus and Earnings	10,528.68
Circulation	25,000.00
Deposits	259,465.80
Total	\$344,994.48

The above statement is correct,

I. E. COX, Cashier

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Apache vs Anadarko Basket Ball, Friday Night, January 30. TWO GAMES